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Group No. 1615

Examiner S. Tran

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Sir:

It is requested hereby that the term to respond to the Examiner's Action of March 31, 2005 be extended two months, from June 30, 2005 to August 31, 2005.

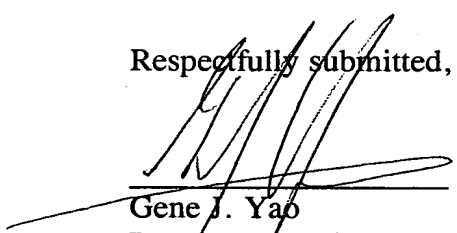
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